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In re Patent Application of:

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For: NON-COMBUSTIBLE WATER-DISPERSIBLE

VITAMIN COMPOSITIONS

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the Office Action dated January 17, 2007, the time for a response to which has been extended to and through March 19, 2007. This response is timely filed on March 19, 2007 with a petition for a one month extension of time. The original extended due date fell on Saturday, March 17, 2007. Monday, March 19, 2007 is the next succeeding day the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is open for business.

Applicants note that the first page/coversheet for the Office Action indicates a shortened statutory period for response of three months. This is different than the one month period for response given on page 2 in paragraph 2 of the Office Action. In view of the differing periods for response, Applicants respectfully request that the three month period shown on the first page/coversheet of the Office Action be used for calculating the due date for responding to the Office Action.

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Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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